since been trained. The scheme is now a component of the recently formulated composite scheme of "Quality improvement in schools".

Vacancies in various Vidyapeeths

3844. SHRI SANJAY RAUT: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are more than 50,000 teachers and allied posts lying vacant in various Vidyapeeths of the country;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and by when these posts would be filled up;

(c) whether Government have issued any instructions for filling up these teachers posts in Vidyapeeths of the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.

Colleges registered for B. Pharmacy

3845. SHRI S.M. LALJAN BASHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of colleges registered with the AICTE which have B. Pharmacy degree education;

(b) the State-wise distribution of such colleges; and

(c) the number of seats available in such colleges all over the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MAA. FATMI): (a) to (c) According to AICTE, there are 549 AICTE approved institutions offering B. Pharmacy Degree courses with an intake of 34,141 during the year 2005-2006. State-wise details are as per Statement.

Statement

State-wise number of Colleges registered for B. Pharmacy

Region	State/Union Territory	Pharmacy	
		No. of Institutes	Intake
Central	Madhya Pradesh	50	3064
	Chhattisgarh	4	248
	Gujarat	38	2465
Eastern	Mizoram	1	30
	Sikkim	1	78
	Orissa	15	1009
	West Bengal	9	550
	Tripura	1	30
	Meghalaya	0	0
	Arunchal Pradesh	0	0
	Andaman & Nicobar	0	0
	Assam	1	60
	Manipur	0	0
	Nagaland	0	0
	Jharkhand	1	60
Northern	Bihar	4	90
	Uttar Pradesh	54	3231
	Uttaranchal	7	390
North-West	Chandigarh	1	98
	Haryana	16	956
	Jammu & Kashmir	1	30
	New Delhi	6	384
	Punjab	22	1148
	Rajasthan	22	1336
	Himachal Pradesh	1	40
Southern	Andhra Pradesh	82	4909
	Pondicherry	0	0
	Tamil Nadu	40	2881
South-West	Karnataka	65	4426
	Kerala	24	1386
Western	Maharashtra	82	5154
	Goa	1	88
	Daman & Diu, Dadar N.H.	0	0
	GRAND TOTAL	549	34141